

Gazette

GUANTANAMO BAY

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BRIEFS

GTMO Girls Scouts Need Volunteers

There will be a brief meeting Thursday, May 16 at 7:30pm in the Girl Scout Room, Rm A-10 at the Elementary School.

We need volunteers to help keep the Girl Scouts going. We need to have a committee of at least three people, and we need troop leaders.

Anyone wishing to volunteer for a committee position (Chair, Co-Chair, Sec/Treasurer) or volunteer to be a leader for any age group, please attend the short meeting.

Without a committee and leaders, there will be no girl scouts next year.

If you have any questions, please contact Trish Loop at 4662 ext 204.

Acts still needed for local benefit show

Prospective talents have been signing up for the upcoming fashion and talent show but organizers say there is room still for more contestants.

The first audition was held Wednesday and a second is planned for May 15 at 7 p.m. at the Marine Hill Aerobic Center.

"We had a few singers and rappers but we need a cross section of acts," said Jacqueline Gordon, chairperson of the event. "We would like to have some poetry, a dance or two and some musicians."

The Grammy-like benefit will be on Friday, May 31 at 7 p.m. at the Windjammer Ballroom. Instruments will be available if needed.

Proceeds will support the Senior Petty Officer Association's (SPOA) High School Educations Scholarship Fund.

The objective of the event is to increase awareness of the diverse culture in Guantanamo Bay, organizers said.

The event is sponsored by A Group of Friends and the SPOA.

A Group of Friends is a mentoring group comprised of military and civilian personnel

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'Boys of Summer' Back



The fabled Boys of Summer are hitting the diamonds in force at GTMO as everyone from T-ball (above) to adult softball teams are rounding the bases and "praying" for the opportunity to score for their team. Additional ball diamonds are being put in play across the base as the influx of Joint Task Force personnel has greatly increased the number of teams vying for basewide acclaim on the Guantanamo Bay field of dreams! (See T-Ball on page 5)

Saipan Sailor Aids GTMO Migrant Mission



Airman Gregory Paulemom is presented the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal by Capt. Robert Buehn at a ceremony held at the Migrant Operations facility Tuesday morning. Paulemom, a member of the crew of USS SAIPAN (LHA 2) volunteered to come to GTMO when the base and Dept. of State put out an urgent call for Haitian/creole linguists earlier this year.

One of GTMO's four Pillars, or missions, is Migrant Operations. JTF-160's previous stay here in the mid '90s, is a excellent example of how that mission can expand. Up to 55,000 Haitian and Cuban exiles took up temporary residence here before their eventual repatriation to their home country, or acceptance as immigrants to the U.S. or a third party country during Operation SeaSignal. A vital component of any exile operation is the ability to communicate.

It was an urgent call for Haitian/creole linguists throughout the Navy and Department of State that brought Airman Gregory Paulemom of USS Saipan (LHA 2) to Guantanamo Bay.

Here he blended into the Migrant Operations department providing valuable linguistic services that earned this young Sailor the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal.

In addition to his primary job as a translator, Paulemom pitched in and devoted 100 off duty hours planning 5 recreational activities for the migrant community. He was also a big part of Migrant Operations move to their new housing and administration spaces.

AN Paulemom departed GTMO Wednesday for USS Saipan but not before Naval Base presented him with a token of their heartfelt appreciation.

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Energy Conservation

Plant grass or ground cover on exposed land to prevent loss of topsoil from erosion. Landscaping also reduces the amount of reflected heat reaching the building shell.

Force Protection Tip of the Week

Be cautious about giving out information regarding family travel plans or security measures and procedures.

Water Conservation

April 29-May 5

Total Used

7,200,574.0

Daily Avg

1,028,653.4

Daily Goal

700,000

We spent - **\$43,710.91**
OVER our goal last week.

MAY 2002 TIDAL DATA

DATE	TIME	LEVEL	TIME	LEVEL	TIME	LEVEL	TIME	LEVEL
10	0149	0.28	0721	0.89	1319	0.03	2015	1.33
11	0237	0.28	0751	0.82	1343	-0.03	2057	1.43
12	0325	0.30	0821	0.75	1413	-0.08	2133	1.51
13	0407	0.32	0851	0.70	1443	-0.13	2209	1.57
14	0449	0.35	0915	0.67	1513	-0.18	2251	1.60
15	0537	0.38	0951	0.66	1555	-0.20	2333	1.60
16	0625	0.41	1033	0.65	1637	-0.20	--	--

Health, Fitness Fair Promotes Healthy Lifestyle to GTMO

BY PN2 (SW) Ron Allen

JTF 160 MIUWU 208

Ruddy Wellington sprayed a solution in his palm, lathered his hands then stuck them under an ultraviolet light.

What he saw meant nothing to him at first. But after a hospital medic explained the white dots to him, he was surprised.

"I couldn't believe there was so much bacteria still on my hand, even after I washed it," he said. "People don't realize how much bacteria they put in their bodies when [their] hands are not washed properly. This was truly an eye opener for me."

Wellington, who works for MWR, was among several dozens of attendees to a health and fitness fair on May 4 in the G. J. Denich gymnasium. The event, sponsored by the hospital and MWR, was to make residents aware of the various services offered by the hospital as well as promote a healthy lifestyle, organizers said.

HM1 Faustino Aquiles said he uses the ultraviolet light demonstration to reinforce the importance of good hygiene, especially food handlers and those who work around infants.

"So often people may wash their hands, but because they are in a hurry they forget areas then they get infected because their hands are still dirty," said Aquiles, who works in the hospital's preventive medicine division.

The day began with a 5K run, in which there were more than 200 participants,

said Donnell Daniel of MWR.

Among the more than 20 displays were the American Red Cross, the Aquatic Center, and Fleet and Family Support.

Attendees took advantage of seminars on nutrition and fad diets, sports medicine and stress management and blood pressure screening.

Despite a 20-minute power outage, the fair continued uninterrupted.



Above: HM1 Faustino Aquiles uses an ultraviolet light to check bacteria on Ruddy Wellington's hands.



Right: Lt. Cathy Bautista uses a manual blood pressure cuff to check Sgt. James Ferguson's blood pressure.

BRIEFS CONT.

on the island. Meetings are at 3 p.m. Sundays at the Iguana Crossing. Group members serve as tutors, mentors and have sponsored several community service projects.

The SPOA meets on the first and third Friday each month on the second floor of the Windjammer. Membership is open to E-5s and E-6s.

For more information on the event contact Gordon at 81044.

Tax Center to Close

The last day for appointments at the Tax Center is May 31.

Since early February, a team of trained volunteers has been helping members of the GTMO community prepare and file their federal income tax returns free of charge. The Tax Center has prepared more than 725 returns so far this year, netting almost \$760,000 in refunds and saving filers approximately \$65,000 in tax preparation fees.

Because many base personnel were eligible for automatic filing extensions due to their service overseas, the Tax Center has remained open past the regular April 15 filing deadline. However, the Tax Center will soon be closing and personnel still needing to file a federal income tax return should call now to schedule an appointment. The last day for appointments will be Friday, May 31.

The Tax Center is housed in the Naval Legal Service Office (NLSO), located in Building 760 (formerly the White House on Admin Hill). Although the Tax Center will be closing in June, the NLSO will remain open to provide legal assistance services for eligible personnel. **Please note that the NLSO is not able to assist with the preparation of tax returns once the Tax Center closes.** The NLSO is open Monday through Friday from 8am to 4pm. The office is closed daily from noon to 1pm. For information or appointments, please call 4692.

To learn about additional services provided by NLSO, see the article on page 5.

GTMO Play Group Notice

There will be no playgroup held on the following days: Monday, May 13, 20 and 27.

The Playgroup will resume on Monday, June 3 at the Chapel Hill Nursery Room 18 from 10 -11 am.

For further information please contact Donna Hudson Coakley at 2072.

Annual Spouses Seminar Makes A Day Of It

What could be more daunting than having the task of packing up your family and moving to a new location every few years? The answer is simple – packing up and *moving to an overseas location!*

You are not only leaving behind family and friends, but a way of life. It can be scary and the challenges are many. But, you are never alone.

It is this message that the Second Annual Military and Civilian Spouses Seminar hopes to send out to all those who came out to support the event. “It is a serve yourself world, especially in the military,” said keynote speaker Sparks Moeller, a military spouse herself and presenter of the “Entertainment Made Easy” workshop. “But, we have the tools to learn and we can learn from each other. We are not in this alone.”

Gathering at the Windjammer for a free breakfast, spouses turned out by the dozens to kick-off the daylong event that featured presentations in the form of information booths, workshops and one-on-one interaction with other spouses, military and civilian, in the local community.

Seminar Committee Chairperson Debi Buehn started things with giving thanks to those who helped organize the event and make it a great success. She also welcomed the presenters, some from as far away as Hawaii.

Commander Naval Base, Capt. Robert Buehn, was also on hand giving thanks to all the spouses who stand beside their military, Government Service, or contractor spouses and help make them successful in the jobs and the mission of Guantanamo Bay. “Spousal readiness is just as important as military



Above: Spouses turned out by the dozens at the Windjammer for the start of the Second Annual Military and Civilian Spouses Seminar. **Top Inset:** Seminar Chairperson Debi Buehn gave thanks not only to those who came out to support the event, but also to all those who worked hard to organize it. **Bottom Inset:** Keynote speaker Sparks Moeller told the group that seminars such as this help give spouses the tools they need to live in a military overseas environment. **Right:** After the morning breakfast and thank yous, spouses boarded buses to attend various workshops held at the base chapel.



readiness,” said Buehn. “Members don’t decide to reenlist at the workplace, they decide at home with their spouses.” For that reason, it is an ongoing mission for the base to support the spouses as well as the active duty service members. This seminar serves as the epitome of that support.

Provided at no expenses to attendees, the overall purpose of the event was to provide an enjoyable experience designed to equip

GTMO spouses with the tools and resources needed to successfully navigate their way through life associated with being in a military environment.

Last year, the organizing committee felt that the goal was accomplished ten-fold with this day of fun and friendship, and learning. With such a large turn out at this year’s event, the seminar looks like it will once again be just as successful.

Navy Legal Service Office: Here to Help

Regardless of how many great lawyer jokes you’ve laughed at, when you need an attorney, you suddenly realize that he or she can be your best friend. Attorneys are useful and necessary, not only when things take a wrong turn in your life, but for planning and organizing your life as well.

The Department of the Navy’s Legal Assistance program is no exception to this. The Naval Legal Service Office

(NLSO) on each base offers legal assistance services free of charge to eligible personnel.

Active duty and retired military personnel from any branch of service are eligible for legal assistance, as are their dependents. Other personnel eligible for services include reservists on active duty for at least 30 consecutive days and U.S. citizens who are serving overseas in support of the

Armed Forces. You will need to provide your military/base ID card to verify your eligibility for services.

The Legal Assistance program is authorized, not mandated, by Congress, and does not receive separate funding. Accordingly, all legal assistance services are provided “as available” and may vary depending on the availability of resources. Active duty personnel are given priority.

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It's Tee-ball Time!

Tee-ball season started Friday for children aged 4 to 6. Games will be played every Friday starting at 5:30pm. Come out and cheer for your favorite team!



Below: Crouching Brave Brelin Austin is ready should a ball come his way.



Above: Two Diamond Backs rush toward home-plate to score runs for the team.

Left: On third base, Matthew Warren of the Braves says a little prayer, hoping the next batter will bring him home.

Right: A Diamond Back Coach gives one young player a little advice on batting.



Left: Braves Coach Rob Warren goes over some playing strategy and gives his team a pep talk before the game.

Below: Coach Paulie of the Braves congratulates Jace Packard on reaching first base.



Right: At the end of the game, players from the Rockies and the Diamond Backs congratulate each other on playing a good game.



This Week in Naval History

May 10

1775 - Force under Ethan Allan and Benedict Arnold cross Lake Champlain and capture British fort at Ticonderoga, New York.

1862 - Confederates destroy Norfolk and Pensacola Navy Yards.

1960 - USS *Triton* (SSRN-586) completes submerged circumnavigation of world in 84 days following many of the routes taken by Magellan and cruising 46,000 miles.

May 11

1898 - Sailors and Marines from USS *Marblehead* cut trans-oceanic cable near Cienfuegos, Cuba, isolating Cuba from Spain.

1965 - U.S. destroyers deliver first shore bombardment of Vietnam War.

May 12

1780 - Fall of Charleston, SC; three Continental Navy frigates (*Boston*, *Providence*, and *Ranger*) captured; and one American frigate (*Queen of France*) sunk to prevent capture

1846 - U.S. declares war against Mexico

1986 - Destroyer USS *David R. Ray* deters an Iranian Navy attempt to board a U.S. merchant ship.

May 13

1908 - Navy Nurse Corps established.

1943 - Bureau of Navigation renamed Bureau of Naval Personnel

1964 - Organization and deployment of world's first all nuclear-powered task group, USS *Enterprise*, USS *Long Beach*, and USS *Bainbridge*, to Sixth Fleet

May 14

1801 - Tripoli declares war against the United States

May 15

1942 - First Naval Air Transport Service flight across Pacific

1991 - Amphibious Task Force arrives at Chittagong, Bangladesh, for relief operations after Cyclone Marian

May 16

1820 - Congress becomes first U.S. warship to visit China

1919 - Three Navy flying boats begin 1st trans-Atlantic flight from Newfoundland

1965 - First US gunfire support in Vietnam by USS *Tucker*

Top GTMO Athletes Honored



HM3 Kizzy Duncan, Female Athlete of the Year



EN1 Bernard Jennings, Male Athlete of the Year

Sports enthusiasts gathered at Denich Gym Monday Afternoon as MWR presented the annual Sports Awards.

Trophies were presented to the Male Athlete of the Year, Naval Station's EN1(SW) Bernard Jennings and the Female Athlete of the Year, Naval Hospital's HM3 Kizzy Duncan.

The Command Sportsmanship Award went to Marine Corps Security Force Company and the MWR Contractor of the Year Award to Taekwondo Instructor Johnny Harper.

The Sports Representative of the Year was taken home by Cpl. Brandon Sailor of MCSF Co.

Top honors for the most Captain's Cup point during the Captain's Cup Season went to the Male Division Captain's Cup Points Award winner, Naval Station, and the Command Spirit Award for the most support and enthusiasm for the program throughout the season went to a very vocal and energetic NCTAMS Detachment.

Certificates of appreciation were awarded to the Male and Female Athlete of the Year nominees and to sports program MWR employees who put in all the work setting up the fields and maintaining the facilities so that the ardent sports enthusiasts may play their games of choice and strive to take home one of these coveted awards.

An Open Letter to the Community:

My family and I wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to you, the GTMO community, for your continued personal support and for your collective generosity in contributing to Sheila's memorial plaque. I only wish that the Gazette was a hundred-pages long so I could thank each and every one of you who have helped so much during this tragic period.

Unfortunately, I can only pass on my appreciation summarily. In particular, thanks to Capt. And

Mrs. Buehn for their personal support and contribution. Thanks also, to the military, especially the chief's community, my co-workers at Burns and Roe, my friends at Kvaerner, Ocean Enterprises, the Schiedermayer family for initiating and coordinating the collection of donations on my behalf, all of our personal friends and the entire TCN community. Thank you one and all. I would like to encourage anyone, who has not visited Phillips Park, to take a few minutes to see Sheila's plaque. This is a memorial you have all contributed to and should be proud of. Except for its' purpose, I think it is a beautiful symbol of a generous and thoughtful community.



The DiSanto Family

60-plus Tested in GTMO Taekwondo

Guantanamo Taekwondo held their third scheduled belt testing on April 12th, 13th, and May 2nd. The Taekwondo class has grown to over 150 students with the influx of JTF personnel. The increase in students has forced the instructors to hold belt testing on multiple days. Over 60 students were testing for their next higher belt. The testing process would have lasted over 6 hours if held at one time. Children and adults tested on different days, and the advance belt students tested on another. Students who have attained the level of Green belt or higher are required, as part of their testing criteria, to spar to advance to the next belt level. There is concern now that the class might have to begin setting class size limits due to the size of the Dojo (class training area). MWR and Instructors Johnny Harper and Matt Brittle hope that it won't have to come to that. MWR has recently purchased 24 full sets of sparring gear for the Taekwondo class here on GTMO. Students will begin putting the skills they have learned into action. Sparring gear allows students to fight each other while reducing the chances for injury. The gear provides protection to the head, torso area, forearms, shins, and groin. Most students are excited about sparring, but some are a bit nervous. Harper says it's normal for students to be a little anxious. Most students have never kicked anyone before, and most of them have never been kicked before. In Taekwondo, just as any other sport, one has to practice to become confident in their abilities. If you or anyone you know is interested in taking Taekwondo, please feel free to drop by the Dojo, located at the Marine Hill aerobics room. If you have any questions, please contact Johnny Harper at 5552, or Matt Brittle at 7981.

The students who have recently tested and the belts in which they tested for are listed below.

Yellow Belt: Steve Armstrong, Mikayla Bosley, Steven Bosley, Courtney Cady, Tony Hardy, Jeffrey Javier, Adam McDonald, Ashley Raymer, Ricky Raymer, Ping Vongpanya, and Reginald Williams.

Purple Belt: Steve Armstrong, Alan Caulk, Romy Evangelista, Andre Gordon, Jeffrey Javier, Amy Larsen, Douglas McDonald, Kai Packard, Vivienne Ramirez, Luis Rivera, Matthew Schonhoff, Ping Vongpanya, and Reginald Williams.

Purple Stripe Belt: Kelly Baggett, Kimberly Baggett, Jean Anne Blumenstock, Eric Bowers, Marie Brewer, Sharon Bush, Michael Carlton, Alex Cheyne, C.J. Denfeld, Melissa Denfeld, Romy Evangelista, Lindel Harris, Alice Helms, April Helms, Mauricio Hilario, Michael Johnson, Kaitlynn Loop, Sarah Lydon, Zachary Morro, Vivienne Ramirez, Lynn Raymer, Major Torley, and Tanner Torley.

Green Belt: Justin Helms and Lynn Raymer.

Green Stripe Belt: Neal Babb and Misty Horne

Blue Belt: Andrew Cheyne

Blue Stripe Belt: Heather Brittle

Red Belt: Matt Brittle



Top photo: C.J. Denfeld gets ready to break a board with his hand.

Bottom photo: For his breaking technique, Tanner Torley prepares to break two boards held by Johnny Harper.

Taekwondo Student of the Month



Matthew accepts his Student of the Month certificate from Black Belt Instructor Matt Brittle.

May's Taekwondo Student of the month is **Matthew Schonhoff**.

Each month, one student from GTMO's Taekwondo Class is selected as student of the month.

This individual has demonstrated noticeable discipline skills, respect for self and others, focus and determination.

Congratulations, Matthew!

National Teacher Day Proclamation

Whereas, teachers open children's minds to the magic of ideas, knowledge and dreams; and

Whereas, teachers keep American democracy alive by laying the foundation for good citizenship; and

Whereas, teachers fill many roles, as listeners, explorer, role models, motivators and mentors; and

Whereas, teachers continue to influence us long after our school days are only memories;

I therefore proclaim Tuesday, May 7, 2002, as National Teacher Day

I urge that we observe this day by taking time to recognize and acknowledge the impact of W.T.

Sampson teachers on our Guantanamo Bay community.

Capt. R. A. Buehn, USN



Capt. Robert Buehn signed and then joined Monica Stevens in present the National Teacher Day Proclamation to Guantanamo Bay's Elementary and High School Teachers at the High School music room Tuesday. Stevens led the local PTO effort to recognize our local teachers accepted by Carol DiQuinzio for the High School and by W.T. Johnson for the Elementary.

NLSO, from page 4

Your local NLSO can provide legal assistance services in a variety of important areas. Powers of attorney, bills of sale, and notary services are available on a walk-in basis and do not require an appointment. A legal assistance attorney is available by appointment to provide advice and counseling on issues such as domestic relations, consumer law, immigration, military rights, real estate or landlord-tenant problems, estate planning matters (including preparation of wills), and other personal legal matters. This includes legal counseling for personnel facing nonjudicial punishment or court-martial, or who have a grievance against their command.

Before you make an appointment with your local NLSO, you might want to go online and see what information is available from legal assistance websites. The Navy's legal assistance website can be found at <http://www.jag.navy.mil> and the Army's can be found at <http://www.jagcnet.army.mil/Legal>. Another great source of information is <http://www.findlaw.com>. Doing some research on your own will help you to be better prepared when and if you do need to meet with a legal assistance attorney. You may even be able to find the information you are looking for without actually meeting with an attorney.

The Guantanamo Bay NLSO is located in Building 760 (formerly known as the White House) on Admin Hill. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 0800 to 1600. The office is closed daily from 1200 to 1300. Please call 4692 for more information or an appointment. Your Naval Legal Service Office—we're here to help!

Mother's Day Gift Baskets On Sale Saturday!

Mother's Day is Sunday, May 12, and the Senior Petty Officer Association has the perfect gift for your little girl or boy to give Mom on this special day!

Mother's Day Gift Baskets include home baked goodies and a gift card. And, one lucky Mom will also receive a gift certificate for her choice of either a free manicure or pedicure! The baskets will be on sale for \$3.00 at the NEX from 11am to 1pm, Saturday, May 11.

Troy State Term 5 Registration

TSU Office will be open from 5 - 7pm for Term 5 Registration May 6-17. Students must pay all tuition fees at the time of registration. Also, all Navy or Army students must bring their approved TA forms with them in order to register.

The Term 5 course schedule can be found on-line at <http://www.tsufl.edu/distancelearning/term5sched02.htm>. FMI, contact Kim Bastemeyer at kbast@tsufl.edu.

Worship Services

Roman Catholic Mass

(Main Chapel)

Monday - Friday

Daily Mass (Cobre Chapel) 0630

Saturday

Reconciliation 1630

Eucharist/Mass 1730

Sunday

Eucharist/Mass 0900

Eucharistic Adoration/Reflective Prayer (Cobre Chapel) Daily, 24hrs

Protestant Service

Sunday

Worship Service - Main Chapel 1100

JTF 160 - Freedom Heights 0800

Contemporary Praise and Worship Service 1930

New Life
(Sanctuary B)

Sunday

Sunday School 1000

Worship Service 1100

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

(Sanctuary A)

Sunday

Sacrament 0900

Jewish

(Sanctuary A)

Twice per month Call 2323

Filipino Bible Fellowship

(Sanctuary A)

Sunday

Worship Service 1800

Inglesia Ni Cristo

(Sanctuary B)

Sunday

Worship Service 2000

Pentecostal Gospel Temple

(Sanctuary C)

Sunday

Worship 0800 & 1700

Seventh Day Adventist

(Sanctuary B)

Saturday

Service 0930 & 1630

United Gospel

(Main Chapel)

Sunday

Service 1245

United Jamacian Fellowship

(Morin Ctr Complex - BLDG. 1036)
(Next to the Cable Company)

Sunday

Worship 1100

Please ask the Faith Group Representative about Education Programs, Bible Study, Prayer Groups, etc. For more details, call the Chaplain's Office at 2323.

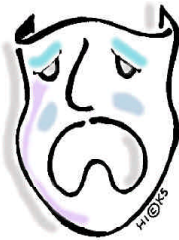


Fifth Grade Science Fair

When: Thursday, May 16, 1:10-1:50

Where: Atrium in front of the School Office
Please come to support the 5th grade students of Ms. Stedje-Larsen and Ms. Zwiebel
Everyone is welcome!

Has it been a while since you've seen a Broadway show?



Come out to the High School gym Saturday, May 18 at 7pm for an evening of fine entertainment.



\$5 tickets will be sold at the door.

Red Cross Needs Volunteers

The American Red Cross needs military volunteers to work at the new Red Cross Canteen at Camp Alpha. Interested parties, please call the Red Cross office at 5060.

All Christian Potluck Dinner and Worship Service

When: May 12, 7pm

Where: Phillip's Park

The entire GTMO community is welcome, including JTF and unaccompanied members!

School Lunch Menu

May 13 - May 17

- MONDAY -

Chicken Pattie,
Lettuce & Tomato,
Baked Beans,
Fresh Fruit, Milk

- TUESDAY -

Fish Sticks, Tatar
Sauce, Macaroni &
Cheese, Mixed
Vegetables,
Sliced Peaches,
Milk

- WEDNESDAY -

Baked Chicken,
Potato Wedges,
Tossed Salad,
Fresh Fruit, Milk

- THURSDAY -

Pepperoni Pizza,
Green Beans,
Fruited Gelatin, Milk

- FRIDAY -

Ravioli, Rice,
Tossed Salad,
Sliced Peaches,
Milk

FOR SALE

(1) Girls bedroom set: dresser with mirror, chest of drawers, bedside cabinet, full size bed with box springs/mattress and brass headboard. \$200 OBO. Call 5552 FMI.

(1) Child's bedroom set consisting of: desk, hutch, chair, four-poster bed, night table and dresser w/mirror - cherry finish. Will include mattress and box spring. \$375. Call 4928.

(1) Coffee tables and two end tables. \$75. FMI, call 4928.

(1) Panasonic microwave oven, 1.2 cu ft. \$55 - available May 15. Call 4928.

(1) Several pairs of brand new men's dress shoes, size 11 EEE. \$30 per pair. Call 4928.

(1) Living-room set, 6-pc. sectional (includes sofa bed and two recliners). FMI, call 4928.

(1) Washer & Dryer, \$100 each. Can pick up June 9. See at CP 15-A. Call Dennis at 2597 or 4164 ext 215

(1) Brand new clothing in women's sizes. 1 pair women's Easy Spirit dress pumps, 2-inch heel, burgundy, size 9WW. For details, call 4928.

(2) TUSA Maxi Graphite swim fins, size Large. Excellent condition. \$80 new, \$40. Call 81162.

(2) Ladies Sectec B/C - \$35, needs some repair. Ladies med Action Plus full wet suit, like new - \$75. B/C - \$24, needs some repair. US Diver B/C - \$50. Sea Elite B/C - \$75. Dacor regulator w/Sherwood octopus - \$125. Mares regulator w/Sherwood octopus - \$125. Dacor Fins - \$125. Two dive tanks, 80's - \$75 each. Three weight belt with many weights - \$40. Package Deal: All of the above - \$500. Call 7433 FMI.

(3) No new Game Boy Advance games at the NEX? For sale, Castlevania Circle of the Moon for GBA, with box and manual, \$20. Also, Pokemon Crystal hint book, never used, \$10. Call 7138 for more info.

(3) Computer Desk \$60. Call 2774 for more information.

(3) External CD/RW - Sony Model CRX 1600L, Speed 12x/8x/32x. Complete with Windows, Macintosh Software, all Cables. NEVER USED. \$200. Call 5753 AWH.

(3) New England Fans: Patriot Football memorabilia. Call 5399 for details.

VEHICLES/BOATS

(1) 1985 Chevy Blazer V8 with 4WD Price \$2,500. Call 5350 AWH

(1) 10' X 22' Pontoon boat, includes Dual Axel Trailer, Aluminum Bimini Top, many rod holders, 48 Special Johnson motor. Also a complete scuba diving set, 1 BC, Regulator with buddy breather, 2 tanks, weight belt. Also 3 bait cast fishing reels and two handline reels. Price: \$2,800 Call 5350 AWH

(1) 1982 White CJ5 Jeep. Runs good. Great GTMO special. Available 15 JUN. \$3,000. Call Bill (H) 5222 or (W) 4848.

(1) 1985 Pontiac Fiero in GTMO condition New clutch, starter, thermostat, brakes. \$800 O.B.O Call 7670 or 3780

(1) 1985 Dodge Ram D350 Pick-up Truck (4-door, six-pack). Many new parts (including tires) within the last two years. Great for big families or for contractors! Bed liner lighting ideal for night drives or evening contractor work. \$2,000. Available June 22. DWH 72046. AWH 7324.

(1) STILL ON THE MARKET! 1991 Dodge Dynasty, A/C, automatic, electric door locks, AM/FM radio, tinted windows, new battery, large trunk space. Available May 18. \$4,000. Call Debbie (H) 7837 or (W) 2069.

(1) 1990 Ford Ranger. New paint, new tires. Not your average GTMO Special. Pick up at Ferry Landing June 12. \$2,800 firm. Call Dennis (DWH) 4164 ext. 215 or (AWH) 2597.

(1) 1994 Ford Probe GT. Teal, 5-speed, power everything, CD player and Tinted windows. Great shape and well-maintained. Worthy of American roads. Asking \$5,500. Call Dustin at (H) 5735 or (W) 72380.

(1) 24-foot Pontoon with trailer. 50-HP Force engine with newly rebuilt lower unit, transom and motor mount, head and galley area, secured table with chairs that seat four, diving platform, sundeck, marine radio, three anchors and all safety equipment. 7- percent of pontoon has overhead coverage, with plenty of room for diving equipment. Contact 5552 FMI or a test drive, or go by Pier 33 and check it out -- it's the big white one. Asking \$5,000.

(2) 1996 Yamaha Virago 1100cc Motorcycle. Very clean street cruiser with 12K miles. Great ride, perfect condition. Asking \$5,000. Call 7672 AWH or 4656 DWH.

(3) 12 X 24 Pontoon Boat, 90 hp Johnson, sun deck, great fishing/party boat. \$3,200. AWH 7125, DWH 4837.

(3) 19ft Cuddy Cabin Boat with trailer, boatcover and more. 140HP motor & 6HP Kicker motor. Excellent condition. See at "Dock of the Bay" Slip 48. \$4,900 OBO. Call Dennis AWH 2597 or DWH 4164 ext. 215.

EMPLOYMENT

W.T. Sampson is accepting applications for future vacancies on an Open and Continuous basis. Drop by the main office in the high school and pick up an application. Submit completed application just once, and you will be considered for positions such as: office automation clerk, secretary, school support assistant, educational aide for school year 2002-03, cafeteria monitor for school year 2002-03 and substitute teachers. For more information, call 3500 between 7am and 4pm.

Community Bank, operated by Bank of America, is currently looking for a self-motivated teller with prior cash-handling experience. Prior bank experience is also preferred. Interested applicants should drop off their resume at Community Bank.

LCN is accepting applications for a full-time customer service representative. Please submit an application at LCN's office. FMI 3744.

The following are job vacancies currently open through the Human Resources Division:

Openings with closing dates:
Medical Clerk, closes 5/6/02
Transportation Assistant, closes 5/6/02
Supply Technician, closes 5/8/02
Open to current Foreign National Employees of the Fire Dept. only
Supervisory Firefighter, closes 4/30/02
Supervisory Firefighter (TEMP), closes 5/6/02
Firefighter (TEMP), closes 5/6/02
Open Continuous Vacancies:
Supply Technician, 1st cutoff 12/21, closes 12/06/02
For more information contact the Human Resources Division at 4822.

The following job opportunities are available at the Navy Exchange.

F/T - Mon. - Fri., 7:30am - 4:30pm:
Services Operations Clerk
Invoice Audit Clerk
F/T - Weekdays, Weekends:
Meatcutting Worker
Sales Clerk (jewelry)
Customer Service Clerk
F/T - Tuesday - Saturday, 8am to 5pm:
Retail Operations Clerk
Flex - Weekdays, Weekends
Food Service Worker:
Motor Vehicle Operator (vending)
P/T-Monday-Friday, 8am-2pm:
Internal Documents and Cash Control Clerk
Temp - 7:30am to 5pm or noon to 5pm:
Desk Clerk (Navy Lodge)
For details, visit the Navy Exchange Personnel Office or call 4119.

SERVICES

Experienced, Red Cross Certified babysitter available. Call Melissa at 5418.

Babysitter -- American Red Cross certified. Call Rhett at 7864 for your child care.

Going away for the holidays or just need help caring for your pet? Your worries are over, two responsible sixth grade students are here to help. We are very experienced and can handle anything. Call 7797 and one of us will be there!

Want to go out, have a relaxing dinner alone, or maybe just a movie? Responsible child care available weeknights and weekends. Red Cross trained. Call Amanda @ 7892.

PETS

Free to a good home. "Elmo" is a 5-year old Border Collie. He is very protective, enthusiastic, indoor dog. Probably best with a family with older children or no children. We are leaving the island and cannot take him with us. To meet Elmo, please call Debbie at (H) 7837 or (W) 2069.

YARD SALES

May 11 at Radio Pt. 2, starting at 7am. Books (novels, cookbooks, etc), housewares and other items -- most never used. Some giveaways.

May 11 at VL-2225, starting at 7am. Various items include fishing reels and rods, children's clothing, full-size truck topper, pioneer mic mixer, kids toys, pots, pans and more. No early

birds. FMI, call 7809, lv msg.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Walking Group: If interested in joining a walking group (early morning and/or evening), call Christine at 5581.

LYNX Air has new office hours on Mon, Wed., and Fri. - 1:30 - 4:30pm and Tues. & Thurs., 10am - 2pm. LYNX Air is also offering flights to Fort Lauderdale every Mon., Wed. & Fri. Confirm all flights 24 hours before departure by calling 4106 or 1-888-LYNX AIR

NEW OMBUDSMAN NEEDED: Are you a happy, helpful NAVSTA spouse? Would you like to enrich your life by helping your community? Think about being the next NAVSTA Ombudsman. FMI about this rewarding volunteer opportunity. Call Leigh Michel at 7066.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: The American Red Cross has volunteer openings for administrative work and other areas on base. Any one interested please call Dusty Rollins at 5060.

Anyone interested in starting a chapter of the Hash House Harriers on Guantanamo Bay, Call Brownie at jteisher@yahoo.com. ON-ON!

LOST & FOUND

Lost - Brown and green expedition watch with wedding ring attached. If found please return. Great sentimental value!!! Please contact Jen @ 7729(h) or 4162 ext. 213 (w). **REWARD OFFERED.**

Found - Tortoiseshell-brown eyeglass in the Ocean View Housing area. Call 5201.

Found - Keys at the Navy Legal Office/Tax Center. Call 4692 to claim.

PERSONALS

The Battle family would like to say thanks for being such great friends to us. You opened your hearts and doors to us. How can we forget the times we shared together at church and at home. Kendra, we are going to miss your warm smile and energetic determination. Donald, we are going to miss your unconditional teachings on behalf of all the United Jamaican Fellowship members and praise team. We must say thanks for your support through the years and may God continue to bless you both. Trevor.

The joy a friend brings to the heart and to the home is something very special to be treasured. Sister V. Brown, Sister A. Buchanan, Brother and Sister Carlton, on behalf of all the United Jamaican Fellowship, we all say thank you for your kind support and may God bless you all.

Hello to my wife, Alicia, I love and miss you. We're waiting for your return, lots of catching up to do! The garden will be ready to plant, and the horses' need their ride to the pond. From uoy evol I! Love, Jeff

To All Our GTMO Family:
When James and I decided it was time to leave Guantanamo Bay, I never imagined how hard it would be. After being here for 5 1/2 years, we truly have gained a new family. We have seen many people come and go that we will never forget. And, we will leave behind some of the best people on Earth. Guantanamo Bay is a very special place with its diversity

Welcome Aboard!

Lauren Rae Berry

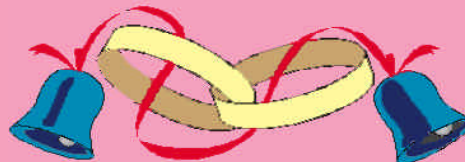
Born May 2, 2002

6 lbs, 14.5 oz.

20.5 inches

Congratulations to:

Lts. Chris and Amy Berry



You are cordially invited to share in the joy of Diane Officer and Patrick Miller as they begin their life together. Saturday, May 25 at 2pm at the Bayview Patio. Reception to follow at the Winjammer. RSVP at 7892 or officer67@aol.com

in people and cultures that my family and I are so blessed to have been a part of. From fireworks on July 4th to the Jamaican Independence and Philippine Independence Celebrations. We will truly miss each and everyone of you. As they say in the Navy, "Fair winds and following

seas."
Debbie, James,
Zachary and Rebecca Morro

All are invited to the Tiki Bar to "Come Say Farewell to Tom and Dee Rack". Friday, May 10 at 7:30pm. Call Tia at 5659 with any questions.

Know Your Limits



Snook Season is closed May, June and July. Report any violations to Security/Harbor Patrol at 4105 or VHS Channel 73

RECALL NOTICE

Sherwood SCUBA LLC Announces Recall of Maximus Regulators

In cooperation with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), Sherwood SCUBA LLC, of Irvine, Calif., is recalling about 14,000 Maximus SCUBA regulators. The second stage orifices on these regulators can be cracked, bent or broken. This can result in a loss of breathing air underwater.

Sherwood SCUBA has received seven reports of broken second stage orifices on these regulators. Two of the regulators broke during dives underwater. No injuries were reported.

The Maximus regulators included in this recall have the following model, serial numbers and connection types:

Model Number: SRB5600
Serial Number Range: K600001 through K611834
Description: Yoke Connection

Model Number: SRB5600D2
Serial Number Range: DK60000 through DK62000
Description: Din-Style Connection

Model Number: SRB5600CE
Serial Number Range: EK60001 through EK62000
Description: Yoke Connection

The serial numbers are laser marked on the top of the second stage case next to the mouthpiece.

Authorized Sherwood SCUBA distributors and dealers nationwide sold these regulators from January 1998 through November 2000 for about \$580.

Consumers should stop using the recalled regulators immediately, and contact their nearest authorized Sherwood retailer for a free repair. For more information, call Sherwood SCUBA at (800) 469-9929 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. PT Monday through Friday, or go to the firm's web site at www.sherwoodscuba.com

To see a picture of the recalled product(s) and/or to establish a link from your web site to this press release on CPSC's web site, link to the following address: <http://www.cpsc.gov/cpsc/pub/prerel/prhtml02/02150.html>

RESIDENT EVIL



Suspense/Horror
1 hr. 40 min.

*Starring: Milla Jovovich,
Michelle Rodriguez,
Eric Mabius,
James Purefoy,
Martin Crewes*

Alice (Jovovich) and Rain (Rodriguez) are the leaders of a commando-team who must break into "the hive," a vast underground genetics laboratory operated by the powerful Umbrella Corporation. There, a deadly virus has been unleashed, killing the lab's personnel and resurrecting them as the evil Un-Dead. The team has just three hours to shut down the lab's supercomputer and close the facility before the virus threatens to overrun the Earth.

THE SCORPION KING



Action/Adventure
1 hr. 29 min.

*Starring: The Rock,
Michael Clarke Duncan,
Kelly Hu,
Ralf Moeller,
Bernard Hill*

An evil ruler is determined to lay waste to all the nomadic peoples of the desert. The few remaining tribes, never natural allies, have to unite or perish. Knowing their enemy relies on the visions of a sorcerer, they hire a skilled assassin, Mathayus (The Rock), to eliminate the visionary. Mathayus discovers that the sorcerer is in fact a beautiful woman (Kelly Hu). He takes her deep into the desert badlands, knowing Seriously wounded in the ensuing battle, Mathayus must find the strength to lead his scrappy band of allies back to Gomorrah for a final confrontation.

THE ROOKIE



Drama
2 hrs. 9 mins.

*Starring: Dennis Quaid,
Rachel Griffiths,
Brian Cox,
Beth Grant,
Jay Hernandez*

An extraordinary real-life story of Jim Morris who dropped out of minor league baseball after an injury to his pitching arm. Twelve years later, inspired by the young men on the high school team he coaches, Morris is convinced to fulfill his own dream and try out for a professional team. With perseverance and confidence, he finally steps up to the mound to follow his dreams.

Movies

FRIDAY, MAY 10

8pm Ice Age
PG - 81min

10pm The Scorpion King
PG13 - 90min

SATURDAY, MAY 11

8pm The Rookie
G - 129min

Resident Evil
R - 100min

SUNDAY, MAY 12

8pm Queen Of The Damned
R - 101min

MONDAY, MAY 13

8pm We Were Soldiers
R - 138min

TUESDAY, MAY 14

8pm Resident Evil
R - 100min

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

8pm 40 Days & 40 Nights
R - 91min

THURSDAY, MAY 16

8pm All About The Benjamins
R - 94min



What's Happening...

Performing Live

The" Least Worst Band"

May 10 - Windjammer Club, 8pm

Youth Center

Floor Hockey Tournament

Mother's Day Buffet

May 12 - 9am to 2pm at the Windjammer.

Mom \$5.50 Adults \$9.95

Children 10 and under \$5.50

Plus...A Special Surprise For Mom.

Scotch Doubles

May 12 - Start Time 6pm

at the Bowling Center.

DEFY/MWR Youth Adventure Challenge

May 12 - 1pm at Cooper Field

FMI, call Jim Grewe at 4242

Rick's Lounge

Rick's Lounge is now open daily 4pm to midnight. Rick's is open to officers and civilian equivalents only.

Free Sailing Lessons

Available by appointment only.

Learn to enjoy the bay in one of our high speed Zumas, Hunters or Catalina 22's. Our qualified instructors can help you attain basic to advanced skipper licenses.

Call 2345 for sign up times.

Aerobics Classes

(Interval/Circuit) Mon. - Fri. - 8:30 - 9:30am
(Adv. Step) Mon., Wed. and Fri. - 5:15 - 6:15pm
Tues. and Thurs. - 5:15 to 6:15pm

Yoga Ultimate Stretch Classes

Held at G. J. Denich Gym
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
noon to 1pm

Tuesday & Thursday
5:15pm to 6:15pm.

Water Aerobics

Monday, Wednesday and Friday
6 to 7pm at Marine Hill Pool.

Swimming Lessons

5-5:30pm Infant 4:30-5pm Preschool
4:30-5:15pm Levels 1 & 2

5-5:45pm Levels 3&4

Adults - 6-6:45pm Levels 1 & 2

Call 2193 to sign up.

Child Development Center

Parents Night Out - Saturday, May 18
6:30pm to midnight

A reservation fee of \$2.50 is due by Wed., May 15 to hold a spot for your child(ren).

One hour - \$2.20, two hours - \$5.00, and three or more hours - \$12.00

For more information on any of the events listed above, call 5225.